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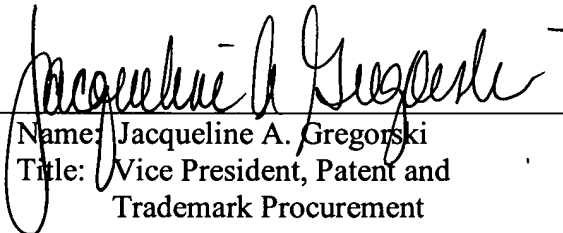
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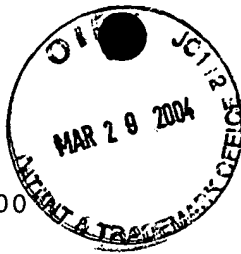
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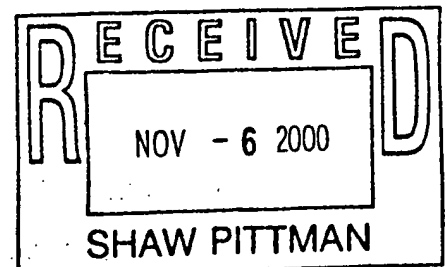
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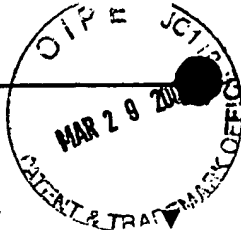
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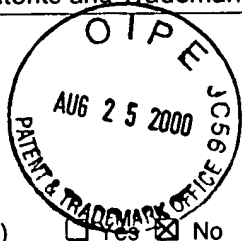
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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, Samuel N. Zellner, residing at 2350 Fenhurst Place, Dunwoody, Georgia 30338 and Mark J. Enzmann, residing at 205 Sailwind Court, Roswell, Georgia 30076 (hereinafter "Assignors") have invented certain new and useful improvements in METHOD FOR DYNAMIC MULTI-LEVEL PRICING FOR WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS ACCORDING TO QUALITY OF SERVICE for a full description of which reference is here made to an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 28, 2000 and assigned serial no. 09/559,593; and

WHEREAS, BellSouth Intellectual Property Corporation, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its principal office and place of business at 824 Market Street, Suite 510, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 (hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in, to, and under said invention and application above identified, and in, to, and under any Letters Patent that may be obtained for said invention, together with all foreign rights corresponding thereto, as hereinafter more fully set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other valuable and legally sufficient considerations, the receipt of which by Assignors from Assignee is hereby acknowledged, Assignors have agreed to sell, assign, and transfer and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in, to, and under: said invention and application above identified; any Letters Patent of the United States of America that may be obtained in respect thereof; any corresponding applications for Letters Patent and Letters Patent therefor in all other areas of the world; and any reissues, extensions, substitutions, confirmations, divisions, and continuations of any of the foregoing (hereinafter "Invention

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said Assignors have respectively hereunto set their hands on the dates indicated below.

SIGNATURE: Samuel N. Zellner

NAME: Samuel N. Zellner

DATE: 8/11/00

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COUNTY OF Fulton

I, Prissy Hollis, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Samuel N. Zellner, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed, and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 11th day of August, 2000.

(SEAL)

Prissy Hollis  
Notary Public

PRISSY HOLLIS  
Notary Public, Gwinnett County, Georgia.  
My Commission Expires May 9, 2000.



SIGNATURE: Mark J. Enzmann

NAME: Mark J. Enzmann

DATE: 8-9-00

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I, Margaret King, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Mark J. Enzmann, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed, and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 8 day of August, 2000.



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